



North Hampton, NH

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County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Rockingham
Portsmouth, NH-ME Metropolitan NECTA
Seacoast
Rockingham
Coastal Economic Development Corp.

Election Districts

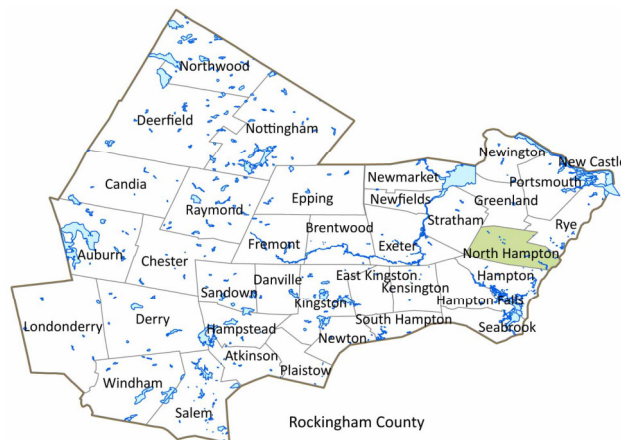
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 State Representative

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District 24
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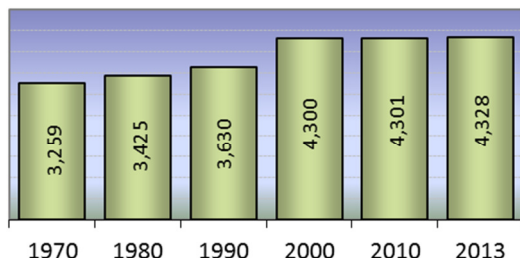
Incorporated: 1742

Origin: First settled in 1639, this town was a part of Hampton known as North Hill Parish. Residents began petitioning for a separate parish as early as 1719. North Hill Parish was set off from Hampton in 1738, with the responsibility of supporting a clergyman and schoolmaster of their own. Full township privileges were not granted until 1742, following the establishment of the New Hampshire-Massachusetts border. North Hampton was the birthplace of General Henry Dearborn, commander-in-chief of the American forces in the War of 1812, for whom Fort Dearborn (now Chicago) and Dearborn, Michigan, were named.

Villages and Place Names: Cemetery Corners, Fogg Corner, Little Boars Head, North Hampton Center, Bass Beach



Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 657 residents in 1790



Population Trends: Population change for North Hampton totaled 2,418 over 53 years, from 1,910 in 1960 to 4,328 in 2013. The largest decennial percent change was a 71 percent increase between 1960 and 1970. The 2013 Census estimate for North Hampton was 4,328 residents, which ranked 84th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2013 (US Census Bureau): 310.7 persons per square mile of land area. North Hampton contains 13.9 square miles of land area and 0.01 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government		Selectmen	
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2014-2015		\$6,129,130	
Budget: School Appropriations, 2014-2015		\$8,288,999	
Zoning Ordinance		1946/13	
Master Plan		2006	
Capital Improvement Plan		Yes	
Industrial Plans Reviewed By		Planning Board	
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Library; Trust Funds; Budget; Zoning		
Appointed:	Conservation		
Public Library	North Hampton Public		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		Full-time	
Fire Department		Municipal	
Emergency Medical Service		Municipal	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds	
Exeter Hospital, Exeter	6 miles	99	
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier		Unitil	
Water Supplier		Aquarion Water Company NH	
Sanitation		Private septic	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup		Private	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Voluntary	
Telephone Company		Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access		Limited	
Cable Television Access		Yes	
Public Access Television Station		No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes	
	Residential	Yes	
PROPERTY TAXES		(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2013 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$16.75	
2013 Equalization Ratio		97.2	
2013 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$16.09	
2013 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings		84.7%	
Commercial Land and Buildings		13.9%	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other		1.4%	
HOUSING		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Total Housing Units		1,901	
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached		1,490	
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure		50	
Five or More Units in Structure		55	
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units		306	

DEMOGRAPHICS		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population		Community	County
2013	4,328		297,728
2010	4,301		295,223
2000	4,300		278,748
1990	3,630		246,744
1980	3,425		190,345
1970	3,259		138,951
Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2009-2013			
Population by Gender			
Male	1,979	Female	2,349
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			275
Age 5 to 19			699
Age 20 to 34			361
Age 35 to 54			1,403
Age 55 to 64			733
Age 65 and over			857
Median Age			50.7 years
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over			
High school graduate or higher			95.4%
Bachelor's degree or higher			48.7%
INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Per capita income			\$61,736
Median family income			\$99,375
Median household income			\$78,596
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male			\$73,214
Female			\$62,500
Individuals below the poverty level			2.9%
LABOR FORCE		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average	2003		2013
Civilian labor force	2,681		2,759
Employed	2,586		2,622
Unemployed	95		137
Unemployment rate	3.5%		5.0%
EMPLOYMENT & WAGES		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average Covered Employment	2003		2013
Goods Producing Industries			
Average Employment	234		196
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 831		\$1,171
Service Providing Industries			
Average Employment	2,000		1,971
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 647		\$1,384
Total Private Industry			
Average Employment	2,234		2,167
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 667		\$1,365
Government (Federal, State, and Local)			
Average Employment	81		99
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 672		\$ 806
Total, Private Industry plus Government			
Average Employment	2,315		2,266
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 667		\$1,340

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	North Hampton operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are part of Winnacunnet Cooperative (Hampton, Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Seabrook)			District: SAU 21
Career Technology Center(s):	Seacoast School of Technology, Exeter			Region: 18
Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			
Grade Levels	P K 1-8			
Total Enrollment	433			
Nearest Community College: Great Bay				
Nearest Colleges or Universities: University of NH				

2014 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **2** Total Capacity: **233**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
First Student	Bus service	60	
Town of North Hampton	Municipal services	50	
Lamprey Brothers	Fuel oil	30	
Home Depot	Home improvement center		2002
Shaw's Supermarket	Supermarket		2002
Marshall's	Department store		2004

TRANSPORTATION (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access	US Routes	1
	State Routes	1A, 111, 151
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-95, Exit 2
	Distance	5 miles
Railroad	Boston & Maine	
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Hampton Airfield	Runway	2,100 ft. turf
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	39 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		4
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		36 miles
Portland, Maine		61 miles
Boston, Mass.		49 miles
New York City, NY		262 miles
Montreal, Quebec		291 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK

(ACS 2009-2013)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	71.8%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	6.8%
Public transportation	0.6%
Walked	11.3%
Other means	0.6%
Worked at home	9.0%
Mean Travel Time to Work	20.9 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2009-2013

Working in community of residence	37.5
Commuting to another NH community	57.1
Commuting out-of-state	5.4

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
X	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Gunstock
	Other: Fuller Gardens; North Hampton State Beach; Dearborn Park